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Yes, it seemed as if my body bung like

a rag, and I was able to regard it as no

longer belonging to me. As death ap-

proached I became mere sensation and

needle seeking the north when dis-

turbed by a cyclone. My senses were

transposed-one discharging another's

duties. I had the impression of read

held in her hand through my fingers.

As death advanced-nearer I felt more

uneasiness than pain. I was gliding

into the elements with two impres

sions-one that of being carried away

on a stream and the other that of dis-

disintegrating into tiny molecules. As

ity. In Caledonia during a cyclone

form blackness save where the waves

and storm the coast, I used to cling to

the rocks to resist the suction of the

tempest, thinking that we ourselves

must have been born of the elements.

My voice was a mere breath, hardly

throat. The sensation of thirst disap-

peared; my limbs were as heavy as

quite calm, the process seemed quite

natural, and my mind looked down

on my body as upon a frame stretched

it will be life or death, and that is

all. The world seemed so small-too

small, in fact, for the human race not

to be one people. I saw the different

dropped stone. Before my eyes was a

persons in the room by their stature.

the dying and the dead. Riderless

swing. Mothers, children and old peo-

How did I return to life? I cannot

pain to come together again, as it were,

to feel the current against me, whereas

I had been floating with it. Was it the

sympathy coming from my friends to

me combined with the good care of

Dr. Bertholet which restored me? One

thing struck me-that I must try and

deserve that sympathy-a sympathy

In my self study I made a mistake.

My Illness seemed to me to be short.

whereas I was told it had been long.

matter of fact, it had lasted four. I re-

membered those stories in which a

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A SKIN OF BEAUTY IS A JOY FOREVER,

1904 exceeded \$600,000 in value.

of them make on onnce, and a m each tablet a big cup of tea is produced.

the United States has \$125.

They looked like large shadows.

lights of science and of art.

in front of it. One wonders whether

Nevertheless my spirit was

spenk with difficulty.

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A determination to withdraw trashy and morally objectionable books from public library circulation can be safeevery pert paragrapher from Portland to Portland.-Boston Transcript.

Ancient Pencocks. In Athens 400 years before Christ a pair of peacocks was valued at 1,000 drachms, or about \$150.

The Boar's Head.

In the days of the commonwealth Christmas was threatened with extinction. Parliament failed to put down gestion of the lungs. Christmas, but the hoar's head never recovered its old supremacy at the ta-

IN DEATH'S SHADOW After the

Louise Michel's Impressions of a Wonderful Experience

MORE ANXIETY THAN PAIN

Late French Communist Said Her Senses Were Transformed - The World Seemed So

A remarkable experience of the late Louise Michel, the French communist, is thus described by herself in the Lon-

In all probability each of us experiences when dying certain sensations which in the main agree, what difference there is being in minor details.

don News:

Last February I undertook a long lecturing tour with my friend Girault. The tour included about thirty towns in France, Corsica and Algeria. Cross ing from England, the first lectures were given in Calais, Roubaix, Tourcoing and Liancourt. In the last named town I struggled against influenza, which seized me after a severe blizzard. At Troyes, where I spent a few days, the doctor and my friends protested against my proceeding to Chaumont, where I was to deliver my next lecture. I did not want to act contrary to their advice, and yet I felt that my will would be weakened by yielding to their wishes. Will is like the steel of ly arrived at in Brooklyn. A similar a sword-it can be bent too much. determination in Boston would stir up thought that by going to Chaumont 1 might be cured, for it was there that I studied, and Chaumont and Saris were the only towns I knew prior to my going to Caledonia.

On reaching Toulon I imagined I had conquered my Illness, and it was with that conviction that I lectured, but on returning to the Hotel Terminus, where I intended resting for a day or two, I felt exhausted, and it was found that the influenza had developed into con-

I rapidly sank into a condition that is best described in the expression "in guenille bumnine"-the human rac

AYMY SUPPLIES IN THE CAMP Siege Is Over

Shopping Methods of Russian Officers at Mukden

APPOINT SOLDIERS TO BUY

Twenty-Seven Car Loads With Supplies from Harbin Soon Surronuded by Officers and Privates.

"Twenty-seven cars just in from

compared my state to the magnetic Harbin" That was the joyful message that recently traveled by word of mouth all over Mukden and up and down the Sha river on the north bank, says ing a telegram my friend Charlotte Richard H. Little, special correspondent of the Chicago News in Manchuria. Officers came posting into town from every direction. The twenty-seven cars were loaded with all sorts of supplies for the Economical society, the organization which furnishes rations and arsemination into space. I felt my being ticles of equipment and wearing apparel to the Russian officers in the an aroma spreads itself in the air or field.

coloring matter in water, so was I be The depot of the society is on the ing dissolved in space. Memories of tracks at the Russian settlement at bygone days returned with great vivid-Mukden in the very cars that bring down the supplies. We mounted and when the sky and ocean were of a uni-

rode down in baste. A crowd of over a thousand officers, threw up their white heads to assault soldiers and Chinese surrounded the cars. The customers for each car formed a long, sneky line that curved and twisted around through the crowd and away to its outer edge. Soldiers When dying I had the same idea-that commissioned to buy for officers or I was returning to the elements from holding places in the line for officers which I came. At last I could only made up the majority of the prospective customers of the cars, but many officers held their own places in the capable of creating a vibration in my

line. The provision cars and those containing the cigarettes and liquors were the most popular. The crowd surged up to the doors of these cars all day long. The doors of the railroad cars are five feet from the ground, and planks and steps have been made, on which the patient crowd ascend inch by inch and hour after hour to that proud eminence where they stand the envy of all beholders and buy and buy and buy.

races stretching in concentric circles As each separate article bought is around the bubble caused by Time's handed out the purchaser passes it to his faithful soldler servants or his Chivell or fog. I could only distinguish nese attaches, who are waiting behind him on either side of the line, holding up their baskets ready to be filled. I had a vision of war; the field, an Some of the officers when after long immense blot of blood, covered with hours of waiting they finally reach the post of honor seem loath to leave it. horses were stampeding away, while in They run through one long list, and the distance the battle was in full just as the man behind thinks his turn has arrived at last the officer in front ple crouched together, abandoned. Fire fishes out another list and begins buylit up the ruins of their homes. Then I saw dens and caverns inhabited by ing all over again. When he gets are empty and bare. Next the boot demen, with torches in their hands. These of relief and bawls out, "Twenty-five took possession, to be in turn driven boxes of cigarettes!" but the man in out by their successors, carrying the front is only reaching for a third list of things he has promised to buy for his general and his colonel and his four say. I know it was a real and cruel lleutenant colonels and two doctor friends in the hospital and three capafter the molecules composing my tains who have a mess close to his body had been dispersed-a real pain

regiment. Then sinister whispers run down the line. My friend Dukewich translated some of the remarks made the other Charlotte and the skill of the learned day when an officer who had purchased from four lists dug up the fifth.

"Why don't the army purchasing

too large for any one person when teraburg?" growled a black whiskered there are so many who die forgotten Cossack captain. "Sh!" whispered another in a subdued voice that couldn't be heard more than 500 yards away. "That is Gen-

agents buy their supplies in St. Pe-

eral Kuropatkin in disguise. He's buying six months' rations for the army." "If he's going to buy out this train," volunteered a very cross looking Circassian, "why doesn't be say so? Then we'll go away and wait until a train

comes down that he doesn't want." The little licutenant who was the obect of all these pleasantries never batted an eye as he reached down in un-

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other pocket and brought forth a fresh

"Fifty tins of ham," he calmly announced. "Cannibal!" roared somebody.

The little lieutenant smiled sweetly, while the patient line snickered, "Thirty pounds of rice," ordered the Heutenant.

"Um-huh!" said the Cossack captain. "A Japanese! I thought so. It's a Japanese trick to keep as from getting supplies."

So the muttered laments kept up until the lieutenant finished his purchases and squeezed himself out through the crowd on the side and disappeared, followed by a large retinue of Cossacks and Chinese bearing his plunder.

There are all sorts of warm clothing designed especially for bitter cold weather to be found in the Economical store. The overcosts are lined with sheep's wool and sell at the very reasonable price of 27 rubles (about \$13) gold) apiece. The favorite coat with the officers is a leather jacket that looks like the automobile coat worn in the United States. It is called "the Swedish coat" and, being lined with sheep's wool, makes a garment that is both warm and very strong for camp wear. About three out of every five officers one meets now wear these

The connoisseur in boots would be filled with delight if he visited the Economical store. Boots form one of the most important items of dress to Rus- 0. sians, and they pay as much careful and fond attention to their boots as we do to neckties and slik bats. There are a dozen different kinds of boots in HENRY FRENIER & SON the Economical store. There are the patent leathers; dainty and snug fitting, that are greatly prized by guard officers and good dressers generally. Then there are the boots fined with felt and others with fur. Some come to the knee, and others have extensions that pull well up the leg. There PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING are felt poors that monite the addition AND CALSOMINING. of a low shoe or rubber when worn, and there are fur boots with the hair side outside that make the wearers look like arctic explorers.

The great black capes or "bourkas" that reach to the ground and stand out stiff and uncompromising all around are much in demand. When an officer struts grandly away in his new bourks he looks like a dowager duchess in her court robes.

Twenty-seven cars of supplies sounds pretty big, but it isn't when the number of customers is considered. First the grocery department gives up. The cars are cleaned out, and the only satisfaction given to the sadly disappointed crowd who still besiege the doors is the sight of the noncommissioned officer clerk who wags his head and says, "Ne-it, ne-it, ne-it," this being Russian for "Nay, nay." The cigarette and bottled goods cars have sent up signals of distress early in the day, and soon they away, and the man behind gives a sigh ; er another of the others closes its doors or its tent flaps.

The officers who draw rein on wet and breathless horses after riding thirty or forty versts like mad in order to secure something long hoped for mutter guttural maledictions on everything in general and economical stores in particular and wend their way toward town to ransack the Chinese and Greek stores and see if they can find aught to satisfy their longing. But now, when all hope is fled and grim despair rules, a glad rumor files about.

"Forty cars from Tieling will be in day after tomorrow!"

So that night black bread, as usual, and the stuff that Chinese call tobacco and the troubled slumber under the wornout waterproof coat. Let hope live once more, for forty cars are on the way from Tieling.

A Tree on Sillin.

In Lake county, Cal., to the north of San Francisco, is a tree on stilts. It 1 an oak tree growing near the edge of the lake. The waters of the lake have washed away the soll from the roots of the tree and, receding, have led the tree supported by the min a sied mans. of roots.

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THE KISS

married, sat weeping near a window, ber face buried in her handkerchief. Laura, whom my mother had left to my care when a little girl of but ten years old and for whom I had provided ever since, stood in the background. crowded away from the bed by the others, and I could not see her face. hurrying in and looked at me. Laura was now twenty and by my death would be left without a home or look full of fear that I might live. support. I had provided for her, but had not been fully satisfied with the my aunt. everything to Eugenia.

my heart and after leaving it there a she chafed it spasmodically, then ran to I put it down as lasting a week. As a few minutes said in a softly modulated the door and called over the banister. voice:

"It is all over."

My cousin Tom turned and with bowfall on her mother's shoulder, and they when sure I lived, they went away 500,000 hast year. passed out of the chamber.

by my bed, put her face down into her hands and sobbed us if her heart would break. But hearing a step with her out she rose, brushed away her tears and began to busy herself about the a color mounting to her check. "Why room, gliding noiselessly here and there while the doctor, who had forgotten his satchel, came in, put away his medical paraphernalla and went away.

Was I dead? I didn't believe I was. I had often deepened. heard of the comatose condition in which a person may linger for a long while and concluded that mine was such a case, I was certainly paralyzed kissed ber. Had I not been propped up with pillows I should not have seen what I tune. If you will take me with it, it

During the night I heard a faint

COMPARTMENT OF THE PROPERTY OF ...OF LIFE sob in the ball, and in a few moments bed, she stood looking down at me.

about my bed waiting for my death. thing in my tace-property and caverns inhabited by through with this list he half turns partment gives up in despair. One aft-Not brothers, sisters, father, mother, cheek. She appeared to be disappointfor these were all dead. My aunt stood ed and took her hand away, but not beat the foot of the bed. My Cousin fore it had stirred my dormant pulse. Eugenia, to whom I was engaged to be Then she bent down and imprinted a kiss upon my lips.

That kiss was like new fuel to a flickering fire. I could feel my heart begin to beat-slowly at first, but quickening every moment. Laura must have noticed the change, for she hastened out of the room, and presently my aunt and my consin Tom came

vision and had kept it locked where it came back and stood peering down in by all. would not be found. The old will left to my face. I gave a faint sigh. Quick as a flash she put her hand to my heart The doctor came and put his hand on and feit it beating. Seizing my hand,

"Get the doctor, quick!" going downstairs with a springy step, decided not to give me any remedy, giance my way. I expected to see in me to breathe. The homehold again her face indications of a blighted life. gathered in the room, my fiances apher arm around her, Eugenia's head ra, as before, was crowded out. Then,

am I to have all this property?"

"By a kiss."

"The kiss that restored me to life."

"You gave me life; I give you for-

T. ADOLPH SAUNDERS.

nized it at once, for I had long loved it. It was Engenia's laugh. I heard a Laura came in. Softly approaching the

"Nonsense!" said Tom, but with

I hoped to hear more, but after a new will in which I had made the pro-

When the doctor came the sun was quarter of a century or more appeared shining in at my window, and there but a few hours. is nothing more reviving than its rays. ed head walked out of the room, slow- Laurn had started life anew; the sun ly at first, but more rapidly as he gave it strength. The doctor declared peared the door, and I could hear him that I still lived, but after deliberation Eugenia rose and cast a frightened though he ordered a tank of oxygen for I was astonished to discover a look of proaching me with a partly concealed relief. Aunt Winifred went to her took of dead or disappointment in her face. relief. Aunt Winifred went to her, put They crowded about my bed, and Lau-

read it, I handed her the other, execut-

"What does this mean?" she asked,

"How?"

She turned away, but I went up behind her and, drawing her face around,

is yours now."

The members of the household stood thing in my face-probably a life-like

"It's that stupid Laura's fancy," said

One by one those who had been with The time came when I was perfect again. me in my last moments left me. Lan ly recovered. I broke my engagement ra stood by a window with her back with Eugenia and turned the rest of to me. She waited till the last person them out of the house. When they had departed, then turned. On her were all gone I sent for Laura. She face was genuine grief. She had come enine into my study wonderingly. I cealed it in presence of the others, but had two wills in my hand. I gave her now that they were gone she gave full one to read. It left all my possessions vent to it. Coming to me, she knell to my late fiances. When Laura had

ed that morning. It left everything to

"You won it."

"What kiss?" The color in her check

NOTHING DOING.



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